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District Convention Knights of Pythias.

The District Convention of the Knights of Pythias will convene in this city today, session being held morning, afternoon and night. The feature of the convention will be the reading of reports from the lodges of the district, exemplification of secret work and short addresses by prominent men of the order.

About seventy-five delegates representing fifteen lodges are expected to be present. The business session will commence at 9 o'clock a.m., and will be held in the rooms of Bourbon Lodge No. O.O.F.

Work in the different ranks will be conferred at the evening session, followed by a banquet. The following is the program for the convention:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Called to order by the District Deputy at 3 o'clock.

Roll call of Lodges.

Enrolling names of representatives and visitors.

Address by Grand Lodge officer.

Reports of Lodges.

Reading of Papers by members of the Convention on the following subjects and discussion of same:

Widows and Orphans Home—Its influence in increasing interest in subordinate lodges.

Meetings of Subordinate Lodges—How should they be opened and conducted so that the members will be interested.

Suspensions—The best manner of preventing suspensions.

New Lodges—How can the available towns in your District without Lodges be best interested in the movement of starting a new lodge.

District Conventions—Their influence and effect.

Examinations of Candidates before Advancement to a Higher Rank—Why the Supreme Law requires it and how should be conducted.

NIGHT SESSION.

Conference of First Rank.

Conference of Second and Third Ranks.

Good of the Order and General Entertainment.

ATTENTION, EAGLES.

All Eagles are earnestly requested to meet promptly at 8 o'clock, Monday evening, at Elks' Hall.

Court Sustains Injunction.

The Court of Appeals, by a unanimous vote, Chief Justice O'Rear not sitting, sustained the constitutionality of the statute exempting the sale of pools and betting by the pari-mutual system at race-tracks from the provisions of the gambling act. The court sustained the injunction of Judge Kirby, restraining the Louisville authorities from interfering with lawful wages at Churchill Downs.

Bryan Sure Winner.

The New York Herald forecasts the nomination of William J. Bryan, giving him a total of 676 votes on the first ballot. The Herald says 210 delegates are already instructed for the Nebraskan, 92 uninstructed delegates are probably for him and 38 uninstructed delegates are probably opposed to him. The Herald's table of probabilities gives 466 delegates to Bryan from among those yet to be chosen. That paper says that New York's 78 delegates will be for Bryan owing to the Bryan people having patched up a peace with McCarran in that city. In the Bryan column are placed Georgia, Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia.

Big Equity Rally.

Wednesday a big Equity rally was held at Augusta, Ky. At least 7,500 strangers were in town more than 1,000 coming from Ohio, Mason, Flemington, Robertson and Pendleton counties, being well represented.

Miss Alice Lloyd, of Winchester, was the main attraction and 3,000 people stood out in the rain more than an hour waiting for her to make her appearance, and when she was introduced it was at least ten minutes before she could be heard, the applause being deafening.

Miss Lloyd spoke only five minutes, attacking Governor Willson and the American Tobacco Company.

Hon. J. Campbell Cantrill, of Georgetown, Ky., ex-Congressman J. N. Kehoe, of Maysville, and Bunker N. S. Wiles, of Ripley, O., also made addresses. Equity farmers to the number of 2,000 formed a parade at 10 o'clock, headed by the Augusta Band, followed by fourteen unions of the American Society of Equity, the horses and riders being decorated with tobacco and other farm products.

Each union was headed by a bevy of beautiful women riding horseback, followed by an Equity string band, with cartoons of Governor Willson and the American Tobacco Company.

One union had a good reproduction of night riders making a non-equity farmer dig up his own tobacco bed, afterward thrashing him with a black snakes whip then making him sign the "cut out pledge."

The parade was more than a mile long. Considerable amusement was occasioned when it became known that Governor Harris, of Ohio, had sent troops to the opposite side of the river to prevent an invasion from this side.

Troops are now on the Ohio side patrolling in the rain with no prospects of being called into service by a raid of night riders from this side.

The Equity young folks wound up the day's entertainment by giving a grand ball in Russell Hall.

Play vs. Study.

The selection of the editorial of Marmaduke Brown, the bright nine-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown, on "Play vs. Study," for publication in "The School News" the paper being published by the students of the Paris High School, is quite a compliment to this young editor. The effort is such an unusual one for the age of the writer, we take pleasure in giving it to our readers. It is as follows:

"Play and study are both necessary for one's physical and mental welfare. Play is important for both mind and body, while study is very necessary for one's mental development.

"It is very pleasant, after being confined in a school room, to go out and play. For the time being all thought of school work is laid aside and one gives himself up to unrestrained enjoyments. There are many games by which the body and mind may be greatly benefitted. The great pugilists of the day are required to take many hours of recreation before they can enter the ring. Every boy and girl has his or her own special pleasure.

"Study begins with children in a small way but gradually grows as the children develop. Many boys, as they grow older, think an education is of no use, but in their mature years they often wish that they had studied when they were young.

"The great men of today have earned their reputation by hard study, for no man can become a success without some kind of an education. Therefore, play and study are very important."

Decides Against Bingham.

The Court of Appeals at Frankfort Tuesday affirmed the case of R. W. Bingham, County Attorney, vs. Hager, Auditor, from Louisville. Bingham sued for \$6,500, which was 25 per cent. of the judgment for taxes against the Southern Pacific Company. The court holds that Bingham's services in that case were part of his duty as County Attorney, for which he was paid a regular salary.

Should Have Vacated Bench.

The Court of Appeals reversed the case of the Kentucky State Journal vs. Noel Gaines from Anderson county, on the ground that Judge Peak should have vacated the bench. Gaines recovered \$2,000 against the Journal for libel in the matter of the famous Haley-Lassing letter.

Fresh Fish.

All kinds of nice fresh fish for today and tomorrow. Both phones and prompt delivery.

WM. SAUER,
Opposite court house.

Sale of Lots.

Tuesday the 12th of May is the date, and two and a half p.m. the hour for the sale of Massie Addition lots. A furniture wagon seating 20 persons will make regular trips from the court house square from 2 o'clock until all who desire to go, men and women, are conveyed to the grounds. Listen for the bugle! Buyer of first lot has choice of first prize, the remaining two will be drawn for at the close of sale by the lot buyers. All three prizes still to be seen in Hinton's and Wheeler's window.

Republican State Convention.

The Republican State Convention convened in Louisville Wednesday with the Taft men in full control. Senator-elect Bradley, the old "blowhard" of the Republican party, tumbled into the bandwagon as was expected by those who know him best. The Taft crowd however, were rather chilly toward him and his oratory did not stampede the Convention as in days gone by.

Convention Hall, Louisville, May 7.—Bulletin, 3:40 p.m.—Willson, Burman and Bullitt are apparently elected delegates-at-large on the first ballot. Bullitt defeated Bradley by about 200 votes.

Another Sale of Bourbon Tobacco.

T. S. Hamilton, representing Scott & Dillon, an independent tobacco firm, of Detroit, Mich., was in Paris Tuesday and Wednesday inspecting fifty hogsheads of tobacco purchased at Winchester, all of which is in local Equity warehouses and belonging to Bourbon farmers. The tobacco was purchased by sample, and the inspection showed the tobacco was fully up to the grade as shown in the samples. The entire purchase is mostly of low grades, nothing selling below 9 cents per pound, while the bulk of the hogsheads brought from 12 to 14 cents.

Several hogsheads of medium to fancy lugs and leaf are included and brought from 18 to 30 cents per pound. The fifty hogsheads will bring a neat sum of \$6,000.

Ladies! Ladies!

We want to call your attention to the large line of Children's Wash Suits and Wash Pants Price & Co. are showing: ages 2½ to 8 years old. Look at their show windows.

Another Prison Plot.

Another plot to break out of the penitentiary was thwarted Wednesday by Warden E. E. Mudd. He discovered a saw, constructed for cutting steel, and a key to the cells on two of the prisoners and took from the men in the plot several dozens of knives. The saw was well adapted to cutting bars and the Warden believes that the men had planned to make a break. How the saw got into the prison is not known, and the Warden says it may have been there for several years, lying hidden ready for use at the proper time.



First Money Received.

The first money received from the sale of 1906 crop of Equity tobacco in Bourbon came a few days ago in the form of a check for \$1,400 from Winchester. The proceeds resulted from the sale of fourteen hogsheads of tobacco belonging to members of the Society in Bourbon, which had recently been made and delivered, the check representing the difference between what the tobacco brought and the amount of money previously advanced by the society.

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Try Sauer's Equity Blend Roasted Coffee, guaranteed to be the best 15 cents coffee on the market. Both phones. Prompt delivery.

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Our "Black Cabinet."

In Russia they have what they call a "Black Cabinet" or Department of Espial. In the United States we have the "Secret Service" at Washington which is supposed to consist of detective to spy upon counterfeiter and smugglers. In Russia the detectives look for those who are plotting against the government, and no one is free from their espionage. Here the government detectives are supposed to confine their work to the protection of the Treasury with all its numerous bureaus, but evidence was presented to the Committee on Appropriations that Secret Service agents have been used for all kinds of "spying" work, and there has grown up in the service a system of espionage that smacks strongly of the black cabinet of Russia.

At a recent hearing of the Committee on Appropriations some startling testimony was given concerning the case of a naval officer who suspected his wife of having improper relations with a midshipman. A Secret Service agent was put to work to get evidence at the instance of the Navy Department. Divorce proceedings resulted. This instance of activity by Secret Service agents outside the field of operations marked out for them in laws passed by Congress prompted the Committee to insert in the sundry civil bill a clause prohibiting Secret Service men from engaging in any duty other than guarding the person of the President and enforcing the laws against counterfeiting.

Such use of public officials would be thought all right in autocratic Russia, but is all wrong in the United States, with its Democratic-Republican government.

Undisputed Republican sway is leading this country to copy the ways of monarchical countries of Europe. In fact, we have many of the unpleasant trappings of Czars and Kings, with the increased power of the naval and military bureaus, spending as much, or more, money than Empires, and aping the doings of autocratic governments.

No such use of the people's money was ever attempted, or even thought of, under a Democratic administration, and such signs of growing subserviency to the demands for a centralized government should be checked before it is too late.

If the Secret Service can be used by the officials of the Navy Department to spy into the family affairs of subordinate officers, it could also be used for political purposes to spy upon the doings of Democrats and others who desire to reform abuses in the government which Republican policies have produced.

The President's latest bull is a demand "for immediate action in revising the tariff at the hands of the Congress elected next fall." This is genuine caustic hocus pocus for you.

The Taft boomers declare it is all over but the shouting, but then "the allies" claim Taft will not be nominated, so there you Republicans are, still up in the air.

The Washington Times states that "powerful forces hold Speaker Cannon responsible for the do-nothing Congress, and have determined to oust him." The only way to defeat Cannon is to elect a Democratic Congress.

Judge Parker will head the New York delegation at Denver, this is said to be the first time a defeated candidate for President has been a delegate, but New York Democrats are to be congratulated on being so ably represented.

As the Republicans claim they created prosperity, they cannot object to having the panic and the prolonged business depression charged up to them. Logically they can't escape the dilemma they have created by their boasting.

Hearst Should Resign.

Now Mr. Hearst no longer holds communion with Democrats, is it not about time he was called upon by the Democratic National Committee to resign as President of the League of Democratic Clubs. Respectfully referred to Chairman Tom Taggart for action.

Tariff and Labor.

If it were true, as the Republicans declare in platforms and speeches, that the tariff protects labor, Pittsburgh should be a paradise for working men. Yet in spite of every manufacturing industry in Pittsburgh being protected by the tariff we hear of thousands of men being unable to get work, and that great distress prevails there, and the local authorities have been compelled to vote money to keep many from starving. Wages are also being reduced for those who are working, but the cost of living is still nearly at the highest point; in fact, meat of all kinds is dearer than ever. And yet most of these Pittsburgh workmen and many elsewhere vote to elect Republicans to Congress, and elect State Senators and Representatives, who in turn elect Republican United States Senators, who stand pat and refuse to reform the tariff that protects not only the Steel Trust but the Beef Combinations.

These unfortunate conditions under the present tariff are forcing the Republicans to promise to revise the tariff "after election," but the promise has a string to it, for the latest platform provides that a maximum tariff is necessary, which means a still higher tariff.

England Takes the Record.

New York's storm, Chicago's frost and Kentucky's fall of snow are a royal welcome to May, the queen of months; but the recent blizzard in Southern England, with snowdrifts eight feet deep in places, still holds the record for springlike inconsistency.

A Republican Conference.

The conference which President Roosevelt has called for May 11, to consider our "national resources" will consist of governors, labor leaders, railroad managers and trust magnates. We trust this conference will not tend to give the corporations a greater cinch on our resources than at present.

Life, Liberty and Property.

We hear a great deal about anarchy nowadays; and most people think it only as a doctrine justifying murder. But it is something more. It really includes socialism. Property rights, which the socialists are seeking to destroy, are just as strongly guarded under our Constitution as life itself. "Life, liberty and property," are protected in the same sentence and under the same words. Anarchy consists of hostility to constituted authority, and Socialism consists in hostility to property.

The Blood is The Life.

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgement are affected, and many an evil deed or impure thought may be directly traced to the impurity of the blood. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It purifies and purifies the blood, thereby curing, pimples, blotches, eruptions and other cutaneous affections, as eczema, tetter, or salt-rheum, hives and other manifestations of impure blood.

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Text from Brother Dickey.
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The Lucky Quarter

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at Oberdorfer's drug store.

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"It has been decided that babies must pay fare on the transatlantic steamers."

"Suppose a baby declines?"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

A Toast.
Here's to our wives!
They fill our lives,
Like busy bees, with honey.
They ease our shocks,
They darn our socks—
And spend most all our money.
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

His Sympathy.
Geraldine—Pa has broken his leg.
Gerald—Right or left?
Geraldine—Left.
Gerald—That's too bad.—St. Louis Republic.

The Only Change.
My ladylove is perfect quite.
Her name is Brown, her hair the same;
Her disposition's sweet and bright.
There's naught I'd change—except her name.—Catholio Standard and Times.

The Thin Tyrant.
"Grigsby's new wife is as thin as a splinter."
"Yes, and when Grigsby married her he met his match." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Reform.
The world is all a stage, they say.
Where critics wield the hammer
And vainly struggle day by day
To elevate the "drammer." — Washington Star.

In Greenland.
Hewitt—I only want the money over-night. I'll pay you in the morning.
Jewett—That's all right, but I can't wait six months for \$5.—New York Press.

Know Her Bank Account.
"Love will not pay your household bills!"
Sneezed the man with the massive head.
The fiance smiled at the threatened ills.
"Ah, but my love will!" he said.—Brooklyn Life.

Father and Son.
Father (age fifty)—At your age a man thinks he knows everything.
Son (age twenty-one)—Yes, and at your age he knows he does.—Chicago News.

True Saying.
Think not all wisdom solemn is.
To trust me 'tis plain
There's much that's not in vain although
It is in lighter vein.—Kansas City Times.

A Changed Situation.
"One can never tell," said the fallen political idol. "A short time ago I had the mob at my feet. Now they are at my throat."—Philadelphia North American.

Jack and Jill.
Jack met Jill upon the bridge
And kissed her on the spot.
The brook murmured down below,
But Jill she murmured not.—Chicago News.

Whooping Cough.

"In February our daughter had the whooping cough. Mr. Lane, of Hartland, recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and said it gave his customers the best of satisfaction. We found it as he said, and can recommend it to anyone having children troubled with whooping cough," says Mrs. A. Goss, of Durand, Mich. For sale by W. T. Brooks, You need no other guarantee.

direful Prediction.
In a speech before the parliament of New South Wales, Australia, E. W. Sullivan said: "The present ministry may blunder along for a few months, but while gazing at the stars they will stumble over the pebbles and then the ambulance will take them to the hospital where the grinning skulls of their predecessors are stored."

Changed His Mind.
At a club the other day a woman told the story of her brother coming to a city alone and friendless, and how much he enjoyed looking in at the windows where happy families were gathered together. He declared that when he had a home of his own the curtains should always be raised. "And are they?" asked a lady who was interested in the conversation. "Well, you see," hesitated the sister, "his wife objected to other people looking into her house all the time."

Peculiar Old English Names.
Here are some of the names taken from a jury list in 1653, the year in which Richard Cromwell succeeded his father as protector of England: Faint-Not Hewitt, Redeemed Compton, Stand-Fast-on-the-High Stinger, Be-Courteous Cole, Search-the-Scriptures Moreton, Kill-Sin Pimple, Be-Faithful Joiner, Fight-the-Good-Fight-of-Faith White, More-Fruit Flower, Weep-Not Billing, Repentance Avils and so on.

Frankfort & Cincinnati Ry. AND ROUTE. LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Lv Frankfort at 6.20 am and 2.00 pm
Ar Geo'town 7.12 am and 2.47 pm
Ar at Paris at 7.50 am and 3.25 pm
Lv Paris at 8.30 am and 5.42 pm
Ar at Geo'town 9.04 am and 6.25 pm
Ar at Frankfort 11.25 am and 7.20 pm

Close connection made at Paris with trains to and from Cincinnati, Maysville, Cynthiana, Winchester and Richmond.

Connections made at Georgetown with the Southern Railway.

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A FOOLISH PLAN



It's a joy to eat—I welcome my dinner hour; Because I rout indigestion with August Flower!

Constipation is the result of indigestion, biliousness, flatulence, loss of appetite, self-poisoning, anemia, emaciation, uric acid, neuralgia in various parts of the system, catarrhal inflammation of the intestinal canal and numerous other ailments that rob life of its pleasures if they do not finally rob you of life itself.

"I'm bound in the bowels," is a common expression of people who look miserable and are miserable—yet who persist in "letting nature take its course."

What a foolish plan, when nature could be aided by the use of Green's August Flower, which is nature's own remedy for constipation and all stomach ills.

August Flower gives new life to the liver and insures healthy stools.

Two sizes, 25c and 75c. All druggists.

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When in need of a first class shave call at Buck's place and you will be given first-class service. You can always catch a turn. Three polite barbers to wait on you. Buck's new bath room is complete, nice porcelain tubs, hot water at all times and polite attendants to take care of your wants. a t. f.

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Will call at any address in city of Paris tisfaction guaranteed.

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Paris, Ky.

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Everything for Orchard, Lawn and Garden. Our Strawberry Plants are money makers. Try them.

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Duffey's
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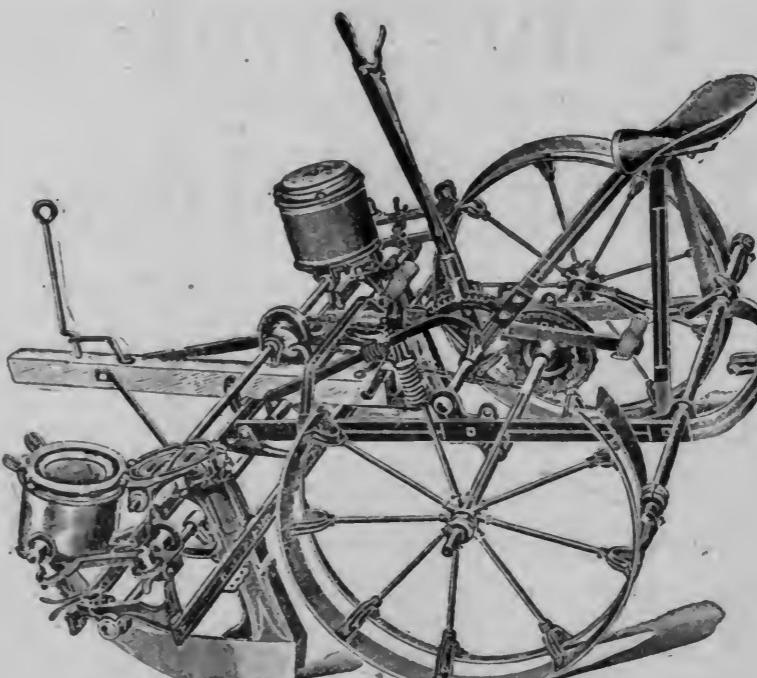
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The Black Hawk Corn Planter.



Does what others try to do—Drops the required number of grains in a hill regardless of the irregularity of the seed.

Allows changing of plates without removing seed from boxes.

Drops the seed at the proper place whether team travels fast or slow.

Has hand drop, check rower, foot drop and drill.

Can be changed from one to the other without the use of tools.

Reels up the check rower while planting last two rows.

Wheels can be set to run off or on the corn rows.

Be sure to examine this planter before you buy.

Yerkes & Kenney,

Paris, Kentucky.

MILLERSBURG ITEMS.

-Fresh butter milk on ice at Proctor & Co.'s.
—Born, Sunday night, to the wife of Samuel Berry, a son—Samuel Daily.
—Mrs. Virginia Fitch left Monday for a visit to relatives at Winchester.
—Miss Elizabeth Allen left Wednesday for a visit to the Misses Woods, at Stanford.

—Mrs. I. N. Brown returned Monday after a week's visit to Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Laird, of Lynden.

—Miss Emma Kemper, of Mt. Sterling, arrived Tuesday as the guest of Miss Ruth McClintock.

—Miss Robbins returned to her home at Louisville Monday, after a short visit to her sisters at M. F. C.

—If you need furniture or wall paper don't delay. Our removal sale saves you money. JOE W. MOCK.

—Owing to the extremely rainy weather the ball game between Transylvania University and M. M. I. had to be postponed.

—Mrs. F. M. Ingels is at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Ross, of Carlisle, going each morning and returning every evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Will Clark have returned to their home at Lexington after a brief visit to his sister, Mrs. W. G. Leer.

—Dr. and Mrs. N. H. McKenney, of Carlisle, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Rankin, from Saturday till Monday.

—Mrs. C. M. Best assisted by Miss Julia Carpenter, are at work on heir play with the cadets, which will be put on at M. M. I. drill hall, May 30.

—I have for rent one 6 room house which I will paint, paper and put in perfect condition for anyone contracting for one year or longer. Good garden spot with house. PEALE COLLIER.

—At Miller & Best's hardware store you will find such spring and summer necessities as refrigerators, freezers, water coolers, lawn mowers, screen windows, wire cloth. We have the new Perfection Oil Stove and it is the best yet. Everything in the hardware line at the lowest prices.

—The date of laying the corner stone of the Millersburg Female College is the afternoon of May 15, under the auspices of F. & A. M. Lodge. It will be a memorable occasion in the history of Millersburg as this will bring together quite a number of distinguished Masons from various parts of the State. All the surrounding lodges have been officially invited to attend, any others who will come will be welcome. All Blue Lodges and K. T. members are asked to be here early so as to line up in the parade, which is the opening feature of the exercises. Halfcock Lodge I. O. O. F. has been asked to officiate and has accepted.

Ohio Democrats.

On the second ballot at the Democratic State Convention at Columbus Wednesday Judson Harmon, of Cincinnati, was nominated for Governor of Ohio. W. J. Brayn was endorsed for the Presidential nomination and James E. Campbell for United States Senator from Ohio.

RELIGIOUS.

—The fourth Sunday in May, which is the 24th, has been selected as the Children's day at the Second Presbyterian church. The children of both the Presbyterian churches will take part in these beautiful exercises and a very pleasing program is now being rehearsed under the direction of the ladies of both churches.

—Next Sabbath being "Labor Sunday," the subject of the sermon at the Second Presbyterian church will be "The Dignity and Nature of Labor," and the subject at night will be "Money and Hypocrisy." Rev. Jos. S. Malone, minister of the First church will preach.

The Brownsville Affair Again.

In the Senate Wednesday, Senator Foraker alluded to a report that Senator William Alden Smith had received from the President a letter in which the latter had announced his unchanged belief that the negro soldiers of the Twenty-fifth Infantry had been guilty of "shooting up" Brownsville, and he asked Mr. Smith to produce the letter if it had been received. Mr. Smith did not deny the receipt of the letter, but declined to make its contents public.

Sues His Son.

At Flemingsburg, J. M. McGregor has sued his son, Fred McGregor, for \$5,000 damages, alleging that the defendant alienated the affections of the pallidist's wife by poisoning her mind against him so that she left him and brought suit for divorce. The plaintiff is 89 years of age, and was a widower until about three years ago when he married Emily Logan, aged 75.

A Hot Resolution.

Upon motion of Senator Foraker the Senate Wednesday adopted a resolution calling upon the Interstate Commerce Commission to inform the Senate whether the commodity clause of the railroad rate law, which went into effect May 1, is being enforced, and whether, if it is not, the failure to enforce is due to an agreement between the railroad companies shall have immunity from punishment.

Notice.

All persons are hereby notified that I will not pay any bills contracted by any member of my family unless they have a written order from me authorizing the purchase of goods.

24 Imo. HERMAN MARGOLEN.

Concerning Distilled Spirits.

In accordance with opinions rendered by the Attorney General requiring distilled spirits to be marked or branded with the names "high wines," "alcohol" or "spirits," the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, has promulgated a modification of the regulations which go into effect July 1 next, concerning the marking and branding of packages of distilled spirits of Elks.

Ready For Work.

Cassidy Bros. are now ready for your work again. Mr. Charles Cassidy who had to suspend work on account of being knocked from a train, is sufficiently recovered to return to work. Any repairing, pressing or cleaning clothes or altering clothes, will be done promptly on short notice. 52t

ACT QUICKLY.

Delay Has Been Dangerous in Paris.

Do the right thing at the right time. Act quickly in time of danger. Backache is kidney danger.

Doan's Kidney Pills act quickly. Cure all distressing, dangerous kidney ills.

Plenty of evidence to prove this.

Jos. W. Fight, living on W. Pleasant street, Cynthiana, Ky., says: "A man can stand hard work for a long time but in the end it is sure to leave him with weakness. Such was my case and the hard labor resulting from blacksmith work weakened my kidneys and I was suffering severely when Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention and I procured a box. Their beneficial results were noticed from the first, and in a short time they banished every sign of my trouble." (From statement given March 31, 1903.)

CURED TO STAY CURED.

On Feb. 20, 1908, Mrs. Fight said: "My husband was cured through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills and different members of my family have also used them. Mr. Fight has not had a sign of kidney trouble since Doan's Kidney Pills cured him in the year 1903."

Plenty of proof like this from Paris people. Call at J. A. Wilson's drug store and ask what customers report.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Back Pay for Soldiers.

Within the next ten days \$20,000 will be distributed from the Adjutant General's office in this city among the Kentucky soldiers who took part in the Spanish-American war. The money was collected some time ago by Captain C. C. Caithron and has been on deposit in the banks of Frankfort until the claims of the soldiers could be proved up. This money is for the time the soldiers were in camp before being mustered into the service.

Negro Elks Lose Out Again.

Believing that it would be an infringement on the rights of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States, W. R. Lyon, chief clerk of the Corporation Department of Kentucky, has declined to permit the articles of incorporation of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, organized by the negroes of Louisville, to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State in Frankfort.

He also refused to file the articles of incorporation of the Fall City Lodge No. 44, B. P. O. E. This is the third turnabout for the Louisville negroes who have attempted to file articles of incorporation for a negro lodge of Elks.

Attempted Robbery.

An attempt was made a night or so ago to rob the People's Bank at Stamping Ground, 15 miles from Frankfort. The combination lock on the vault was worked and the vault opened, but before the robbers could get the time lock opened they were frightened away. The safe contained \$6,000.

Feudists Fight.

Ed Callahan was fatally wounded by his brother-in-law, John Spicer, at Callahan's store on Long's Creek Breathitt county, and Spicer was in turn shot and killed by Callahan's seventeen year-old son, as a result of a quarrel between Callahan and Spicer. Spicer was a brother of Mrs. Callahan, who is now separated from her husband. Callahan brought suit for divorce several months ago and this is supposed to have been the cause of the trouble.

Camp Established at Hutchison.

A camp of the Modern Woodmen of America has been organized at Hutchison, this county, and will be known as Hutchison Camp, No. 12532. The organization was effected by Assistant Deputy Head Consul J. P. Howell, of this city. The initiation and institution of the camp will take place at a later date, not yet determined upon, and will be participated in by the Lexington and Centreville teams of Foresters.

The following well-known citizens of that community have become members of the camp: J. Will Lynch, Thomas B. Nichols, Dr. Logan Gragg, James C. Gragg, John S. Wiggins, James Willmott, C. Prewitt Willmott, M. R. Jacoby, James M. Jacoby, Alonzo Ginn, George W. Link, George W. Dorsey, Humphrey Gravitt, G. Gravitt, Ossian Gravitt, Clarence Sturte, James H. Thompson and William J. McWhorter. The following officers were elected and installed: Consul, T. B. Nichols; Adviser, James C. Gragg; Bunker, George W. Link; Clerk, James Willmott; Escort, C. Prewitt Willmott; Watchman, J. Will Lynch; Sentry, James M. Jacoby; Camp Physician, Dr. Logan Gragg, Board of Managers: M. R. Jacoby, three years, and Humphrey Gravitt, one year.

LIVE STOCK AND CROP NOTES

—Baron Dillon, a \$10,000 stallion owned by J. F. Tarlton, was killed by a fall while being jogged on the Georgetown, Ky., pike.

—Clarence Kerr, of Lexington, bought of Amos Turney, Jr., the fine gaited saddle gelding, Morris Chief, by Harrison Chief; price \$400.

—Thos. Henry Clay, Sr., and Thos. Henry Clay, Jr., each sold to Jonas Weil a car load of hogs averaging 225 pounds at \$5.35 per one hundred pounds.

—Mr. Hume Clay, of near Bourbon and Clark line is experimenting by planting fourteen acres of popcorn. Mr. Clay secured the best variety of seed which is so extensively used in California. He has also an expert from that State to grow his first crop. The price of the best varieties of popcorn is from 3 to 5 cents per pound.

—The diversity of crops for the season of 1908 has enlarged over that of 1907, as a result of the cutting out of the tobacco crop, and many new experiments are being resorted to. Some farmers are growing onions for commercial purposes, planting fields of from three to ten acres in this necessary staple for winter use; others are growing broom corn, while many farmers have increased the acreage sown to hemp oats and potatoes.

Coleman Renick, Paris, Ky., Wins—No. 1787.

Attention!

The newest line of Footwear ever shown in Paris is now on display.

SOLE AGENT

"Hannon and Nettleton Shoes."

Do not fail to see the Little Children's Ankle Tie Sandals in Tan, Red and Patent Leather for Easter.

Geo. McWilliams,

The Shoe Man.

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Our Spring Suits

FOR

Men, Boys and Children

Are of the latest colors and styles and cannot be excelled in the tailoring and fit. Prices in reach of everybody.

Men's Suits from \$10.00 to \$30.00

Boy's Suits from 6.50 to 25.00

Children's Suits, 2.14 to 8.50

Easter line of Neckware and Shirts. Give us a call.

PRICE & CO., Clothiers.

Removal.

I wish to inform my patrons that on and after April 1st, I will be found at my new stand—the Bourbon Marble works, Hill's Old Stand, between 6th and 7th street.

MARGOLEN.

Spring and Summer Jewelry

The Newest Fads in

Brooches, Belt Buckles,
Barrettess, Veil Pins,
Hat Pins, Collar Pins,
Combs, &c.

A New Assortment of Cut Glas on Display.



E. T. Phone 432.

Rug Time is Here. Your Chance to Buy.

The Spring has begun in earnest, and as has our Spring Rug Sale. Never before have we had such an elaborate showing of new styles, new designs and new patterns. We have the complete line of Smith's Rugs, which all lovers of things beautiful and substantial should not fail to see. Do not let this chance slip by. The prices and terms will be of interest to you, just as much as the beauty of the Rugs themselves.

A Few Specials in Odd Pieces of Furniture.

Odd Dressers from.....	\$20.00 on down to \$ 9.50
Odd Wash Stands from.....	10.00 on down to 4.50
Hat Racks from.....	25.00 on down to 6.50
Side Boards from.....	50.00 on down to 12.50
Chiffons from.....	25.00 on down to 10.00

Don't Miss Any of These.



THE BOURBON NEWS.

Off Winter & Co.
JEWELERS & SILVERSMITHS
OPPOSITE COURT HOUSE

Underwear.

Everything in the market in light weight underwear for Men and Boys at Price & Co.'s, Clothiers. It

Will Erect Residence.

Mr. Lee Price will begin at once the erection of a residence on the lot recently purchased by Mrs. W. W. Massie on Scott Avenue. The contract has been let to John Arkle for a \$3,000 building.

Delicious Ices.

We carry Vanilla Cream, Chocolate Cream, Orange Ice every day. Strawberry and Peach Cream in season. C. P. MANN. 82

Stated Convocation.

Stated convocation of Paris Chapter No. 25, Royal Arch Masons, will be held at 7:30 o'clock p. m., this Friday, May 8th, 1908. Degree work on several candidates. Full attendance is requested.

Attention Eagles.

All Eagles and those who have been examined and made application for membership, are requested to meet at the Elk's Lodge room at 8 o'clock sharp, on Monday evening, May 11th. The Paris Lodge will be instituted and a class of about 100 will receive the initiatory work. Banquet will be given immediately after the work.

EAGLES, NOTICE.

We have just received a swell line of Eagle buttons and charms.

SHIRE & FITHIAN.

Good News for Bourbon Farmers

Mr. John T. Collins, Secretary of the Bourbon Board of Control, says that of the 2,450 hogsheads of the 1906 crop of tobacco, 650 had been sold, which would bring upwards of \$100,000 to the Bourbon county farmers within the next thirty days. He also stated that the tobacco was in fine condition, being sweet and fine flavor and ready for the manufacturer.

Suggestions for Spring.

Large stock of North Star Refrigerators, Porch Shades, Baby Buggies, Rugs, Carpets and the most beautiful Wall Paper in the world.

J. T. HINTON.

Republican Committee Organizes

The organization of the new Republican County Committee has been perfected by the election of George W. Stuart Chairman, Wayte A. Thompson Secretary and C. O. Wilmoth Treasurer.

Mr. Stuart made a brief speech of acceptance of the Chairmanship and promised to do all in his power to bring harmony to the ranks of the Republican party in Bourbon county.

To do this Mr. Stuart has taken upon himself a herculean task.

Dr. Landman Coming.

Dr. Landman, the well-known oculist and artist, of Cincinnati, will be at the residence of R. M. Harris, corner Fourth and Pleasant street, next Tuesday, the 12th.

New Meat Slicer.

Margolen, the up-to-date butcher, has added another convenience to his already perfect meat market. The Practical Meat Slicer that was on display at the Pure Food Show here last week. This machine slices perfectly breakfast bacon, broiling ham, dried beef, etc. Stop in and see it work.

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Circus Day.

Notwithstanding the rainy, chilly, disagreeable weather of yesterday there was one of the largest crowds in town that had been seen here for years to attend the Robinson circus. They only gave one performance on account of the weather. The mammoth tents were filled with people. The show was all that goes to make a modern circus, everybody being pleased with the performance. John Lolow, the old clown of fifty years ago was with the show in capacity of press agent.

A Modern Dairy.

Mr. Earl Sellers, of near town, is now engaged in increasing his herd of dairy cows from twenty-five to one hundred head. He will shortly begin the erection of a dairy barn to cost \$4,000, to be patterned after the arrangement of the dairy barn at the university of Kentucky, in Lexington. The barn will have a concrete floor and be provided with every modern convenience in vogue in all first-class dairies.

Mr. Sellers has added a new separating machine and will install the Pasteurizing method of purifying milk.

ATTENTION, EAGLES.

All Eagles are earnestly requested to meet promptly at 8 o'clock, Monday evening at Elk's Hall.

New Press Rooms.

Mr. F. H. Phillips, the up-to-date plumber and machinist, has finished moving the presses, engines, etc. of the News office in the new press room recently erected into rear of the man office. The room was erected especially for a press room, with concrete floor and all conveniences for that department. In moving this machinery and fitting up the plumbing work for this room, Mr. Phillips demonstrated that he is thorough and that he understands the plumbing business from a to z. He is located in the Elk's building.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Mrs. James E. Clay and daughter, Miss Nancy Clay, are in Louisville for several days stay.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woodford are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Adair at Canadian, Texas.

—Mrs. Clifton Arnsparger and Miss Mary M. Woodford are at Martinsville, Ind., for a short stay.

—Mrs. Oliver Elam and little daughter Louise, of Ashland, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Kriener.

—Miss Kate Alexander has returned home from a visit to Misses Margaret and May Payne, at Lexington.

—W. R. Hopper, who has been living with his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Shy, of this city, has gone to Louisville, to make his future home with his son, A. E. Hopper.

—Geo. W. Stuart, Stamps Moore, J. L. Earlywine and J. D. McClintock attended the Republican State Convention which was called to order in Louisville Wednesday.

Examinations.

Examinations for graduation in the common schools of the county will take place today and tomorrow in the office of Superintendent of Schools F. L. McChesney.

MATRIMONIAL.

—Miss Eleanor R. Marsh announces the engagement of her sister Anna Franklin, to Mr. Howard D. Carpenter, of Columbia, Mo. The wedding is to take place at Greenwood, the home of the bride-to-be, early in June.

Four Killed.

Four persons were killed and twelve injured yesterday in a fire of believed incendiary origin, which practically destroyed the five-story tenement house at 101 Orchard street, New York City.

The building was within a stone's throw of Delancy and Allen streets, where twenty-six persons were burned to death in a tenement house fire three years ago.

Will Remain in Paris.

S. L. Allen, Superintendent of the Paris Electric Light Company, has secured release from the Electric Light and Power Co., of Carmel, Ill., to whom he had engaged his services, and will continue to manage the affairs of the Paris Electric Light Company.

Mr. Allen has negotiated a lease for the store room recently vacated by H. Margolen, and in connection with the Postal Telegraph Company will open offices in the near future.

ALARM CLOCKS.

Just received a case of alarm clocks to sell for \$1 each. Every clock is guaranteed for one year.

SHIRE & FITHIAN.

Evans to Leave Service.

Two of the chief events in connection with the fleet festivities yesterday at San Francisco was the great military naval parade and the Governor's banquet last evening.

Yesterday's parade marks the last public appearance of Admiral Evans in his active career as a naval officer.

In a few days he will retire from the service. Fifteen thousand soldiers and sailors were in line.

Well Known Here.

During the sessions of Diocesan Council, just closed at Lexington, a call was extended to Rev. R. E. Abraham of Middletown, to be minister in charge of the Church of the Good Shepherd, in Lexington. Rev. Abraham has not yet announced a decision.

He is one of the best known young clergymen in the State, and has been in charge of the Middlesboro church for some time. He was in charge of St. Peter's church in this city several years ago.

Bourbon Fiscal Court.

The Bourbon Fiscal Court held its regular monthly session yesterday. Judge Denis Dundon presided and the following magistrates were present: Esquires E. P. Thomason, J. H. Hopkins, J. J. Redmon, J. P. Howell, E. P. Claybrook, J. T. Barlow and J. C. Clark at the Hotel.

Turnpike Supervisor Redmon read his monthly report for April, which was received and filed. Claims for work on turnpikes, amounting to \$1,054.42, were ordered paid.

Usual number of general claims were ordered paid.

Supervisor Redmon was allowed \$1,000 for turnpike repairs for May. No other business of general importance was transacted. The Court adjourned to attend the circus.

Thirteen Men Arrested.

The thirteen men arrested at Marion charged with being in the Dyersburg raid, have been taken to Eddyville on warrants charging them with being also implicated in the raid at Eddyville.

GRADUATION PRESENTS.

What is more suitable for a fair graduate than a beautiful chased bracelet, a handsomely designed locket with attached chain, or a delicately mounted gold broach pin. For the manly boy we can show you a varied and beautiful line of gold scarf pins, cuff buttons, charms, pocket knives, and novelties in sterling silver to suit the most fastidious.

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and never found wanting in either quantity or quality. That is what you will say of our groceries after you have tested them in your household.

Give us your first order and if honesty of weight and quality count with you we are sure of many others hereafter.

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Ficklin Building. Main Street.

Wm. Sauer Grocer.

Opposite Court House.

Equity Blend

Roasted Coffee.

Best 15c Coffee on the Market.

Wm. Sauer.

FOR RENT.

The saloon and privileges together with the bar fixtures in Hotel Windsor. For particulars apply to Mr. J. S. Clark at the Hotel.

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At the Residence of Mrs. R. M. Harris, corner Fourth and Pleasant Sts.

Tuesday, May 12th, 1908.

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We are showing the popular Rough Weave Silks in "Home-Spun" and "Tuscan" in styles and colors too beautiful to describe. Taffetas and the New "Tub" Silks in all the new striped effects. Take a look at those swell Bordered Novelties.

Our line of Evening Silks and Silk Mulls in solid and exquisite hand-painted styles was never so complete.

Ask to see the New Silk Polin in evening and street shades. Special price 50c a yard.

Swell line of all kinds of Trimmings.

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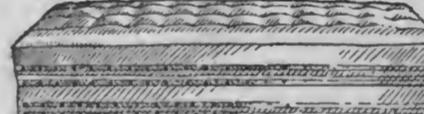
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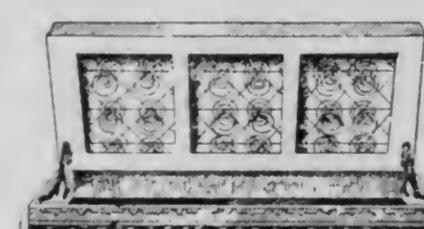
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Here is a Box or Wardrobe Couch for \$18.80



* * * This Shows it Closed. * * *

This Couch is full spring edge; covered in Denim, cedar lined for protection of clothes, and has an adjustable pillow that can be raised or lowered to any desired height. You do not have to lift the lid as it lifts itself. Notice the construction.



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All the Correct Styles, the New Shades, and Fashionable Fabrics for Spring Wear.

Come in and Let Us Show You Our Large Stock.

We have placed in our store new clothing cabinets, so when buying a suit from us you won't get a shop-worn, wrinkled suit. All newly pressed, just from the tailor.

New Crawford Shoes for Men Now Here.

LADIES. we have added a choice line of MILLINERY goods at very low prices, to our Dry Goods Department.

All New Goods—Nothing Old to Show You—All the New Spring Dry Goods Now on Display.



De Beldy's

Barbee Stock Farm.

Millersburg, Bourbon County, Kentucky.

If you want a fast horse, breed to a trotter that sires speed.

C. F. CLAY,

Race Record 2:18.

The only stallion in Kentucky the sire of three with an average mark of 2:05.

SIRE OF

Connor.....	2:03½	Cling.....	2:11½
Coleridge.....	2:05½	Claybourne.....	2:11½
Chloral.....	2:06½	Arthur W.....	2:12½
Leola.....	2:10½	Lee.....	2:12½

SIXTY-SEVEN IN THE 2:30 LIST.

The grandsons of Daniel J. 2:06½, Harry L. 2:07½, Ruby Mack 2:08½, Silver Prince 2:08½, Prince Ross 2:09½, Emma M. 2:09½, etc. Sire of dams of Nancy H. 2:06½. The President 2:07½, Dr. Munson 2:05½, Dr. Monical 2:09½, Charley C. 2:09½, etc.

Soprano dam of C. F. Clay, with ten in the list, is one of the world's greatest brood mares.

Private stallion, but will accept ten outside mares on the shares.

If you wish speed, beauty, size and substance, breed to the fine Electioneer-Mambrino Patchen Stallion, **KENTUCKY CHIMES 39071**,

Blood bay, 16 hands high, 5 years old.

Sired by Chimes 5348, the best son of Electioneer and Beautiful Bells, and the world's greatest sire of extreme speed.

1st dam Queenie King, dam of The Queen 2:19½, King Chimes 2:10½, etc. Sired by Mambrino King 1279.

Kentucky Chimes is a brother in blood to The Abbott 2:03½, Shadow Chimes 2:05, The Monk 2:05½, Dandy Chimes 2:07½, Council Chimes 2:07½, Chime Bells 2:09½, Ed Easton 2:09½, etc. Also Dare Devil 2:09, the stallion Mr. Lawson paid \$50,000 for.

Kentucky Chimes is a horse of great beauty, speed, style, size and substance; a sensational high actor, and will sire high-class coach horses as well as trotters. It is a well-known fact that the Chimes-Mambrino King family of trotters have produced more 2:10 and 2:15 performers, also more champions on the race track and in the show ring, than any other family known to the trotting horse world; almost every world's record has been held at one time by members of this family, and to-day more world's records are held by them than any other trotting family.

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1st dam "Becky," dy Westwood 236.

Harrison Chief, Jr., sired by Harrison Chief. 1st dam by Peavine; 2d dam by Edwin Forrest 49.

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"My Star's" 1st dam has produced three colts which sold at an average of \$3,200.

His 1st dam by "Simmons' Clark Chief."

2nd dam "Tattler Chief."

3rd dam "Denmark."

4th dam "Cock Spur." (Tho.)

"My Star" is a rich bay, 15½ hands high, foaled in 1903, star and snip in face, white ankles, heavy mane and tail, which he carries to perfection, has colts of style and a hackney in action. Will serve mares

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Centre..... 2.29½

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Edna Earl 2:19½.

Dorcas H (3, p) 2:11½; (4) 2:09½.

Black Arthur 2:24½.

Annierene (3). Trial 2:23½, over track considered eight seconds slow.

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County Court Days.

Below is a list of County Courts
held each month in counties tributary
to Paris:

Anderson, Lawrenceburg, 1st Monday.
Bath, Owingsville, 2nd Monday.
Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday.
Boyle, Danville, 3rd Monday.
Breathitt, Jackson, 4th Monday.
Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.
Estill, Irvine, 3d Monday.
Fayette, Lexington, 2d Monday.
Fleming, Flemingsburg, 4th Monday.
Franklin, Frankfort, 1st Monday.
Garrard, Lancaster, 4th Monday.
Grant, Williamstown, 2nd Monday.
Harrison, Cynthiana, 4th Monday.
Henry, Newcastle, 1st Monday.
Jessamine, Nicholasville, 3d Monday.
Lee, Beattyville, 4th Monday.
Lincoln, Stanford, 2nd Monday.
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.
Mason, Maysville, 2d Monday.
Mercer, Harrodsburg, 1st Monday.
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3d Monday.
Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.
Oldham, LaGrange, 4th Monday.
Owen, Owenton, 4th Monday.
Plumbeton, Falmouth, 1st Monday.
Powell, Stanton, 1st Monday.
Pulaski, Somerset, 3d Monday.
Scott, Georgetown, 3d Monday.
Shelby, Shelbyville, 2nd Monday.
Wayne, Montezuma, 4th Monday.
Woodford, Versailles, 4th Monday.

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EXPLAINS THE TEN
PER CENT DEDUCTION

Chairman Brown Refutes Unfair In-
situations Made by Enemies of

Tobacco Pool.

(Shelbyville News.)

A number of papers have recently

published statements to the effect

that the Burley Tobacco Society is

gone. Of all who oppose the farmers

these have the least cause, for they

BURLEY SOCIETY

Agrees Upon Uniform Method of
Distributing Proceeds of
Sales Made by Pool.

AGREED UPON CRUCIAL TEST

Ninety Per Cent to Be Paid to Pro-
ducers and Eight Per Cent Held as
Reserve in Each of the Counties.

What Was Regarded as Crucial Test

Agreed Upon After Two Days' Ses-
sion of the District Board.

(Lexington Leader.)

The District Board of the Burley
Tobacco Society at its regular ses-
sion in Winchester, April 21 and 22,
devoted the Tuesday afternoon and
evening sessions to the interpretation
of the by-laws of the society per-
taining to the duties and prerogatives of
the district board and the several
county boards. Able and illuminating
speeches were made in exposition of
the laws governing these two bodies.

The chief matter to be determined
was the method of disbursing the re-
turns from sales of tobacco. The fol-
lowing plan was agreed upon:

Distribution of Funds.

In view of the fact that the ques-
tion of collections and proceeds of
sales and distribution of same has
been considered and discussed at
length at this meeting, and in view of
the fact that previous motions have
only covered separate features of the
question.

Be it Resolved, That the following
method of collecting and distributing
funds as adopted by the Executive
Committee be approved by this body:

1. The Burley Tobacco Society will
collect for all tobacco sold.

2. That in counties where tobacco is
commingled the society shall deposit to
its credit in local banks in each
county, as recommended by the County
Board of Control and approved by the
Executive Committee of the District
Board, 98 per cent of the gross
proceeds as soon as collected from the
purchaser; 90 per cent of the whole
amount is to be distributed to the
owners at such time as the County
Board of Control may designate, the
remaining 8 per cent to remain in that
county as a reserve fund for the pur-
pose of equalization or expense as di-
rected by the whole District Board.

3. That in counties where tobacco
is not commingled the Society shall
distribute 90 per cent to the owners
as soon as the proper directions for
this distribution are received from the
respective counties, and that 8 per
cent shall be deposited at the same time
in local banks in each county recom-
mended by the County Board of Control
and approved by the executive
committee of the district board, for
the whole board.

4. That this resolution revokes all
resolutions previously adopted not in
agreement herewith.

Details of Business Methods.

Moneys in the local county banks
cannot be checked out except by
check signed by the secretary and
assistant secretary of the District
Board and countersigned by the proper
person or persons designated by the
County Board of Control where the
moneys are to be paid. By this plan
the books of the District Board are at
all times open to the members of the
County Boards, and the books of the
County Board of Control are open to
the District Board. Neither can they
disburse moneys in a given county
without the co-operation of the other.
In this way the affairs of each county
are known to the Society as a whole,
while the affairs of the District Board
are the property of all the counties.

The matter was crucial in its im-
portance and the advocates of the two
plans proposed pressed their plans
with earnestness; but the fundamen-
tal unity of the members was shown
by the hearty way in which the minor-
ity concurred with the decision of
the majority. At the close of the
evening session the leaders of the minor-
ity offered a resolution approving
and endorsing the faithful, efficient
work of the Executive Committee. The
resolution was adopted by a unani-
mous vote. And thus a crucial test
of the strength of the Society was
passed with harmony and practical
unanimity.

Reports from various portions of
the district show that less than 10
per cent of a crop will be grown.

Some portions of the district, like
Madison and Garrard counties, which
have never been fully organized, will
raise considerable crops, while in
many counties the crops will be ex-
ceedingly slim. From reports receiv-
ed no special effort is being made
to extend the territory in which Bur-
ley tobacco is grown. The next meet-
ing of the board will be held in this
city on the first Tuesday in June.

Think for a moment what the tobac-
co growers have had to contend with.

Against them has been, and is, the
powerful tobacco trust packed by mil-
lions of wealth—a trust that the gov-
ernment itself has been powerless to
cure—a trust backed by other no less
powerful trusts, for all trusts stand
together lest the downfall of one
would mean the extermination of all.

Against them are the commission
warehouses in the large cities, be-
cause the plan of marketing tobacco
must of necessity be changed and the
enormous profits of the middleman
cut off.

For the same reason the army of
small dealers who depend for a living
on the profits they can realize on tobacco
are bitterly opposed to the farmers' orga-
nization and the cutting out of a crop,

because when no tobacco is grown, or
it is sold direct to the manufacturers
by the farmers, their occupation is

gone. Of all who oppose the farmers
these have the least cause, for they

going to charge 10 per cent for sell-
ing the tobacco which is in the pool.
Such statements are very misleading
and wholly incorrect. They have
probably arisen from the fact that 10
per cent of the returns from all to-
bacco sold will be held back until all
of each grade is disposed of. But this
is not held back as a charge for sell-
ing the tobacco, but as a reserve fund
to guarantee the man whose tobacco
goes last, that if any contingency
should arise whereby his tobacco does
not sell for as much as did the to-
bacco which goes first, then there is
something in the treasury of the So-
ciety to equalize with.

Every man who holds his tobacco
in the pool has made the market just
as much as has every other member
of the pool. The market has been
made and we are now selling tobacco.
It all can't be sold at once, somebody's
has to go first. Is it fair that the man
whose tobacco happens to go first gets
all of his money at once, while those
who are still holding, and have made
the market just as much as did the
first man selling, have nothing held
back to assure them that all members
of the Society will, in the final settle-
ment, receive the same price for the
same grade of tobacco? Certainly not,
and it is to assure all that they will
receive such a settlement that the 10
per cent is retained temporarily at
headquarters.

The expense of the organization will
of course be prorated over all of the
tobacco, and just what it will be can-
not be exactly figured out until all of
the tobacco is sold. However, it is
generally thought by those who are
familiar with the affairs of the Society
that it will not exceed 2 per cent. It
would be even less than this but for
the extra expense necessary in organ-
izing and starting such a large move-
as this is. Once established many of
these expenses can be eliminated. Every
buyer of pooled tobacco pays the
Society \$3 per hogshead, in addition
to the pool price, buyer's fee, and this
goes far toward defraying the ex-
penses.

None of the officers of the Society,
excepting the secretary, are salaried.
They have not only given their time
and best business energies and paid
all of their own expenses, but they
have also put up the money necessary
to keep the organization going until it
could get on a self-sustaining basis.

Of course they expect to have this ex-
pense money paid back to them, but
as to whether they shall receive any-
thing in payment for their services
rests entirely with the growers to say,
through their representatives on the
District Board. The men who have
taken the lead in this fight are all
plain, practical farmers. They went
in to win in a practical and honest
way, to better not only their condition,
but the condition of all tobacco grow-
ers. They are not seeking the
limelight of publicity; they are not in
the fight for the purpose of boosting
political raves, nor, have they been
promised any.

Insofar as the Shelby County Board
of Control is concerned there is not a
member of it who is a candidate for
any office, receives any salary, or asks
any. This move of the tobacco grow-
ers is not a private enterprise. There
are no star chamber proceedings in it,
and those who are acquainted inti-
mately with the affairs of the Society
are glad at any time to answer any
questions that members may ask.

SHELBY CO. BOARD OF CONTROL,
By John E. Brown, Chairman.

AN INSPIRING STRUGGLE

Tobacco Growers Win Victory for
Right and Justice—"A Little Leaven
Leaveneth the Whole Lump."

(Dover News.)

It is a great hardship for many to
cut out a crop of tobacco. It has been
a great sacrifice to all to pool and hold
two crops of tobacco and be deprived
of the use of their money for over two
years. Those who have already sold
two crops while the others held up the
market are in better shape to cut out
the 1908 crop than those, many of
them, who have had to borrow money
to meet necessary expenses while
making the fight for better prices.

Altogether it has been the most remark-
able struggle that this country has
ever seen, and will go down in history
as the most heroic demonstration of
true patriotism ever witnessed since
the foundation of the republic, and a
living illustration of the fact that far-
mers can get together and accomplish
wonderful results for the good of the
country, when they do.

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can use their capital to speculate in
other products, or in other lines of
business, or even loan their capital at
interest, with equal chance of success.

All of these, all the trusts every-
where, with the powerful metropoli-
tan press throughout the land ever
ready to serve the trust interests,
have labored without stint to throw
discredit upon the farmers, belittle the
cause for which they strive, attribute
to them motives and deeds not borne
out by facts, and echoing and re-echoing
these misrepresentations to the
eternal disgrace of proud old Ken-
tucky.

